Samuel, Saul & Wanting a King

1 Samuel 1-12
Name _____ Date _____

Read & think

READ IN ORDER

1. 1 Samuel 1-2
2. 1 Samuel 3-4
3. 1 Samuel 5-6
4. 1 Samuel 7-8
5. 1 Samuel 9-10
6. 1 Samuel 11-12

MAIN POINTS

- The LORD called Samuel and established him as a prophet whose words did not fall to the ground (1 Samuel 3:4-21).
- The ark did not secure Israel's victory; the LORD acted in Philistine territory and later helped repentant Israel at Mizpeh (1 Samuel 4:3-11; 5:1-12; 7:3-12).
- Israel asked for a king like the nations, yet both people and king remained accountable to fear, serve, and obey the LORD (1 Samuel 8:4-22; 12:13-25).

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

1. What changes between Israel's use of the ark in chapter 4 and Israel's gathering at Mizpeh in chapter 7?
1 Samuel 4:3-11

2. What did Samuel need to learn when the LORD called him?
1 Samuel 3:4-10

3. Samuel promised to keep praying for Israel and to teach the good and right way even after naming their sin (1 Samuel 12:19-24). How can truth, prayer, and faithful help remain together when someone has made a harmful choice?
1 Samuel 12:19-24

MEMORY VERSE / 1 Samuel 1:27-28

Hannah states that she prayed for Samuel and that the LORD granted her petition; she then fulfilled her vow concerning his lifelong service (1 Samuel 1:11, 27-28).

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I prayed for this child, and Yahweh has given me my petition which I asked of him. Therefore I have also given him to Yahweh. As long as he lives he is given to Yahweh.” He worshiped Yahweh there.

KJV

For this child I prayed; and the LORD hath given me my petition which I asked of him: Therefore also I have lent him to the LORD; as long as he liveth he shall be lent to the LORD. And he worshipped the LORD there.

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Main verse _____ Bonus verse(s) _____

Passage or verse _____

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ONE THING TO PUT INTO PRACTICE

PRAYER